

Shades of Lincoln!

No 'Pilgrim's Progress' Today

You read on this page last Thursday an astonishing dispatch from Springfield, the capital of Illinois. It seems that the Illinois Secretary of State, Charles Carpenter, is on a campaign to "make it impossible for school children to obtain sun." Therefore, the dispatch continued:

"This book is for adult readers" has been stamped in red ink on certain books in the state-wide library system — meaning that they are banned from circulation unless some grown person specially demands a copy.

The list that was so stamped is absolutely incredible. Here are some of the "banned" books:

"Pilgrim's Progress"

Hans Christian Andersen's "Fairy Tales"

Jules Verne's "20,000 Leagues Under the Sea"

"Jane Eyre"

"Wuthering Heights"

"The Good Earth"

"The Girl of the Golden West"

So you belong to an organization and you want to "ban" something, do you? Well, be warned by the above that someone somewhere sometime will make you look like a witch. And you'll deserve it.

"Pilgrim's Progress" . . . Abraham Lincoln read it as a boy by the flickering light of the hearth in the family log cabin.

What have the witches done to our America?

"Jane Eyre" . . . when I was a boy it was "required," like practicing on the piano, learning geometry, and other unhappy phases of family discipline.

Toward the end of last Thursday's dispatch it appeared that this fellow Carpenter was trying to get out from under the foolishness he had started. He said it was a mistake that his staff of career workers in the state library system were trying to make him look "ridiculous."

Trying? They made a perfect job of it.

And Mr. Carpenter's explanation only confirms our belief that he had nothing to do with it. For, the dispatch explains —

"Carpenter had ordered all books relating to sex" withdrawn from circulation after a mother protested about a novel her daughter checked out of a local library."

L. recollect that our mother handled such a situation directly with my sister — and with no public scandal such as calling up the library and making a spectacle of the two of them.

Mr. Carpenter is the custodian of books. He should have had better sense than try to make himself custodian of anything as unpredictable as the uneasy truce between a mother and her daughter.

Against Move to Avoid Any Treaty Vote

By JACK BELL

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. George (D-Ga.) said today that any move to avoid a Senate showdown in this session of Congress on the controversial Bricker treaty — power amendment would merely "perpetuate the issue" in politics.

George, who told the Senate yesterday President Eisenhower cannot defend his opposition to a provision giving Congress a check on executive agreements, said in an interview he is going to continue to work to get a constitutional amendment passed. He has offered his own version.

The Senate, in recess over the weekend, will resume debate Monday on a proposal by Sen. Bricker (R-Ohio) with the understanding it will not attempt to reach any votes on the measure until the week of Feb. 15.

There are so many conflicting proposals pending that George said it seems doubtful to him that any could now get Senate approval by the necessary two-thirds of those voting.

"But maybe after we have muddled this thing over for a while, it may be possible to get some agreement," the Georgia senator said.

He added that he believes he may get a majority of the Senate to approve substituting his plan for the Bricker proposal. George's version would nullify any treaty or international agreement which conflicted with the Constitution and would prevent executive agreements from becoming effective as internal law except by act of Congress. A majority vote would be enough to revise the pending Bricker proposal along these lines, but final passage still would require two-thirds approval.

Polio Fund May Total \$500,000

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis said today that the March of Dimes polio campaign might total \$500,000 in Arkansas.

A spokesman at the state headquarters here said some 30 counties have given preliminary estimates on the drive, but no accurate accounting of the fund will be made until March.

A morning commuter train between Sheffield, England, and London runs more than 100 miles in 97 minutes, a speed of more than 60 miles an hour.

Silver dollars are in common use only in a few western states like Montana and Nevada.

Marvin Huff, 51, wanted in Tulsa, Okla., for the murder of his wife, was shot to death near Harbin in a gun duel with State Trooper Bill Steubing.

The David Pearson hour will be held at Station KXAR at 7:30 tonight. Tune in for good entertainment and help a worthy cause.

Yet only 18 years ago Huff quit college in his junior year to take safety office.

In Ireland, off-course horse racing is legal and popular pillars of their communities.

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SOCIETY

Phone 7-4431. Between 8 A. M. and 4 P. M.

Calendar

Monday, February 8 — The Union Meeting of the Women's Methodist Church will be Monday, February 8 at 7 p. m. at the church. Mrs. John Gardner will bring the devotional. Miss J. Mrs. Albert Graves, chairman, will have charge of the program. The Western Service Guild of Methodist Church will meet Friday, February 12 at the home of Mrs. B. W. Keeley with Mrs. B. W. Stevenson leading the program. Mrs. Roy Stephenson, national leader, will be by the nominating committee.

Tuesday, February 9 — The Homestead County Class-Off Teachers Association will meet at Brookwood School on Tuesday, February 9 at 7 p. m. Miss Lois Ladd, a teacher from Germany, will be a special guest.

Wednesday, February 10 — The Little Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church will have combination business and social meeting on Tuesday night, February 10 at the home of Nellie Hamill. Pinecrest Co-operators will be Shirley Hervey and Valda Dean. Miss H. A. Spraggins, will be the devotional. All members and associate members are asked to attend at the church between 7:15 and 8:30 p. m.

Wednesday, February 10 — The DAR Luncheon will be held at Barlow Hotel at 12 o'clock Wednesday, February 10. Hostess will be Mrs. Robert LaGrone. Guests Charles Locke and Mrs. J. A. Hayes. Good citizenship girls will preside.

Good Neighbors Club meets in home of Oliver Sanders.

The home of Mrs. Clyde Sanders Highway 28 South, was the scene of the February meeting of the Good Neighbors Club.

The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. Paris Anderson,

Mrs. Sanders gave the devotional followed with prayer. Mrs. Vernon Hunt read the minutes, and the treasurer's report. The club discussed concerned projects. Project for the year will be "remodeling" mail box platinum trees and the group agreed to add a plant and exchange with one helpful member growth of their planting.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses, after which the club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Herbert M. Stephenson in February.

Centerville:

Hand painting was demonstrated by Mrs. David Waddle and Mrs. R. H. Linaker, and a demonstration on making sequin hats was demonstrated by Mrs. Lorraine B. Wyllie, Home Demonstration Agent, when the Centerville Home Demonstration Club met for its January meeting at the home of Mrs. Waddle with Mrs.

The meeting will be with

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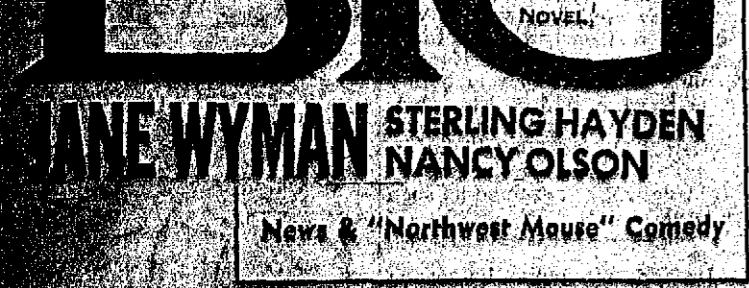
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Tanks Can Now Don Waterwings

DETROIT (UP) — The Army's 48-ton tanks now can don water wings to cross deep streams and lakes and keep on fighting at the same time.

Development of flotation equipment to permit this was announced by the Detroit Arsenal today.

Actually, the water wings are big floats made from a solid, foam-type plastic which support the tank in the water.

The Army said it has tested the equipment on M47 and M48 medium tanks in Lake St. Clair.

The plastic floats were described as less than half the weight of balsa wood. Balsa is the Peruvian wood which became especially famous for its use in the trans-Pacific "Kon-Tiki" raft voyage.

The raft was built of balsa trees. Not only can the tanks cross deep waters but they can fire their 90-millimeter guns and machine guns in their turrets while in motion. The crews aren't exposed. Steering is done from within.

Once a tank reaches shore, it can drop its water wings in an instant.

The floats keep the tank on the surface. However, in event of rough water, there are snorkels for the engine exhaust and air intake.

Tullulah Is Looking for Steady Job

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (UP) — Tullulah Bankhead is looking for a steady job.

To the layman, it would seem that the magnolia blossom from Alabama is busy enough. In the past year, she has:

1. Made her night club debut at the Sands in Las Vegas, where she returns next Tuesday;

2.Appealed on everything in TV from Ed Murrow's Person to Person to Hedda Gabler to the Jimmy Durante show, which she does Sunday;

3. Authored an autobiography that led nonfiction books for five months and sold out the first two 35-cent editions of 250,000 apiece;

4. Acted in a movie, "Main Street to Broadway."

But all this is not enough for Tullulah. She told me her troubles in her hotel suite where she was battling "the actor's nightmare," laryngitis. She explained that she wasn't supposed to smoke and proceeded to light a cigarette every two minutes.

"I'm not supposed to talk either," she added. "But you know how impossible that would be for me, baby." She then poured forth thousands of words in an endless stream. I noted that she seemed to have given up "darling." Everyone was baby."

"I can't go on doing work in bits and pieces, really. I can't, baby," she remarked. "I've got to have some steady line of work to keep the wolf from that door. Years ago I bought a perfectly tremendous place in the country with a huge swimming pool and everything. I thought I would retire there and enjoy the country life."

"But I have to keep working my fool head off to afford the place. People in our business should never acquire big possessions. You become a slave to them."

"Two courses are open to me: I could go back to the stage or I could do a regular TV show. I still read all the play scripts that are submitted to my agents. So far I haven't found anything suitable. It's pretty hard to find a star vehicle. I don't mean the play has to be tailored for me. Lord knows in my two greatest hits in this country, aside from 'Private Lives' which was a revival — I'm talking about 'The Little Foxes' and 'Skin of Our Teeth' — my part wasn't big at all."

"I wouldn't mind going back to the theater, except for one thing: the road. I suppose if the show were a hit, I would have to travel all over the country with it. The thought of it bores me. It's all right for some stage-struck child, but I've been through all that."

"Besides, you have such a limited audience in the theater. In eight performances a week, you play to perhaps 6,000 people. You can play to more people in one night on TV than you could in a lifetime in the theater. Being in radio and TV has brought me to millions of people who never knew I existed. The sale of my book proves how important the mass audience can be."

"The other thing I could do is a regular TV show, and one is being cooked up for me. No, I can't tell you all about it, baby, but it will be a situation comedy show. Something in which would have an entertainer and perhaps a figure in the news as guest stars. I would be able to play myself, not a crude caricature."

"I wasn't happy with the revues I did last season. It was like being shot out of a cannon. When you're playing with all those guest stars you have to do things that aren't suited to you. I feel that the only thing I did well was the closing monologue. In the rest of the show, I was like a fish out of water."

"I might add that Miss Bankhead was sipping tea. She explained that she was still recovering from the celebration of her 51st birthday."

DOYLE

Discussions on fashions and standards for oakied foods were led by Mrs. Odean Westfall and Mrs. Lawton Colb when the Doyle Home Demonstration Club met February 2 with Mrs. J. L. Westfall.

Mrs. J. P. Hutson led the s

members, 2 visitors and 4 children in group singing. Mrs. J. L. Westfall gave the devotional and Mrs.

George Boozer led in prayer.

The following subject matter

leaders were appointed for 1954:

Garden and Orchard — Mrs. Odean

Westfall; Poultry — Mrs. J. L. Westfall;

Dairy — Mrs. W. C. Beck;

Home Management — Mrs. W. C.

Health and Safety — Mrs. W.

Colb;

Food Preservation — Mrs. Mark

Jackson;

Recreation — Mrs. Lee

Downs;

Citizenship — Mrs. W.

Colb;

International Relations — Mrs. Downs

Serbia;

Music — Mrs. W.

Colb;

Arts — Mrs. C. F. Goodlett;

Food Preservation — Mrs. J. P.

Hutson; Family Life — Mrs. M. D.

Walston Home Industry — Mrs. D.

Morton; Home Management — Mrs.

Dolly Byers; Home Grounds — Mrs.

Health and Safety — Mrs. Mark

Jackson.

During the business session

plans were made to erect a sign

marking the Doyle road with Mrs.

Mark Jackson and Mrs. George

Boozer, as the committee. The cem-

etary committee gave a report.

The group voted to give the com-

munity made from the sale of m-

agazine subscriptions to the March

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CHICAGO, — (UPI) — Animal

lover Irene Castle, onetime darlin-

gtonian of the Broadway stage, today of-

fered to let a mad dog bite her

to save her four-footed friends

from the pain and danger of a hypodermic needle.

The state of Illinois ordered

every dog and cat in Chicago in-

curred against rabies in an unpre-

dicted step to halt an epidemic

of the disease that has killed

one child and sickened several

others.

Irene Castle, who is now Mrs.

George Enzinger and operates the

famous "Orphans Of The Storm"

animal shelter at nearby Deer-

field, Ill., said "inoculations would

paralyze the hind legs of dogs."

She offered to put up \$5,000 and

challenged, "no one can prove

that a person bitten by a rabid

dog ever died as a result."

"She would most certainly die,"

said Chicago Health Board Pres-

ident Dr. Herman Bundesen.

"Well, why don't they let me

do it, then?" she answered.

The average American is using

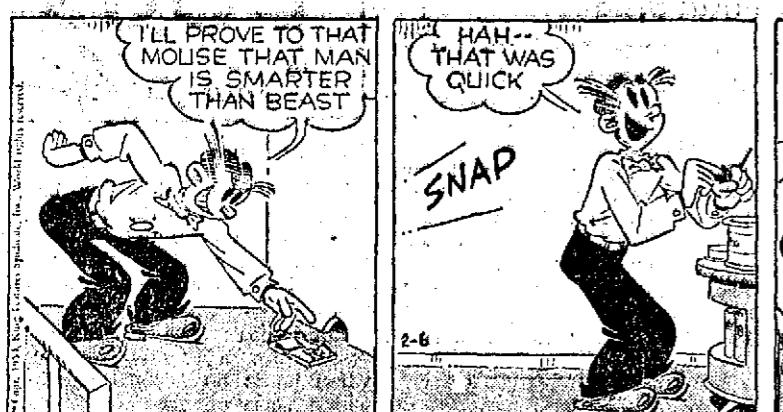
about 20 per cent fewer oranges

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CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



"Now stick out your left hand—the way you should have done when you made that left turn!"

SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



"Imagine growing up with the knowledge that you're a girl!"

By Chick Young



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By Michael O'Malley and Ralph Lamm

OUT-OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



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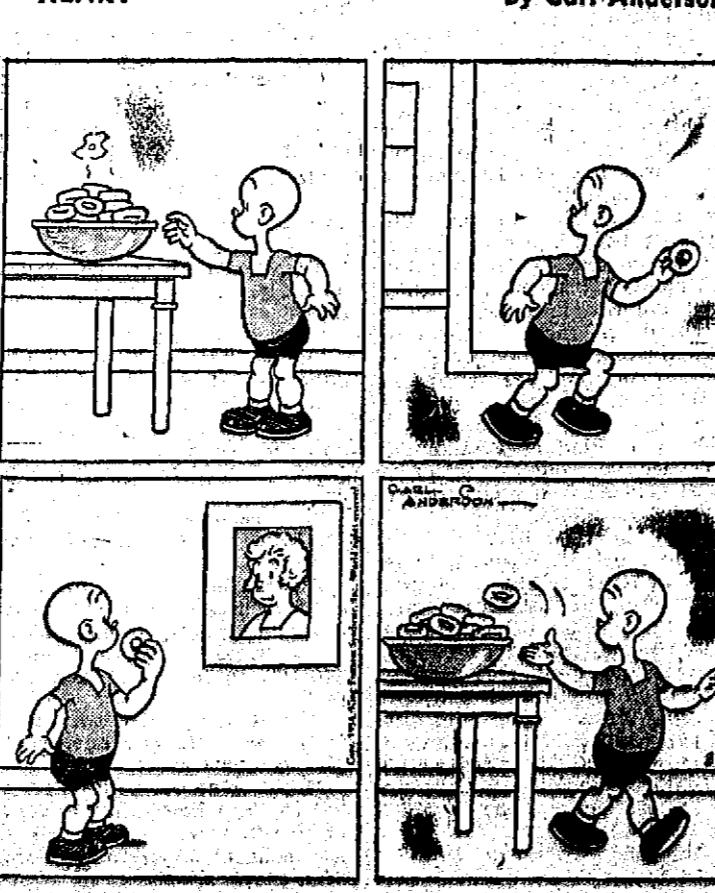
By Hershberger



"It's a practice shot—I'm expecting that guy who never tips again tonight!"

HENRY

By Carl Anderson



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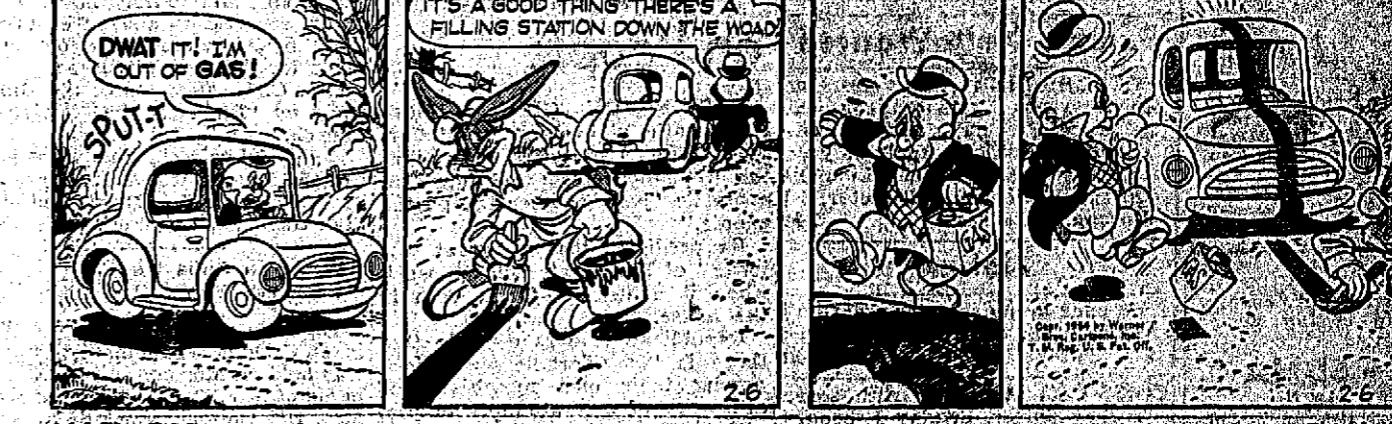
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